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8 9	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE
10	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
11) NO. CRO4-444L Plaintiff,
12	v. ORDER CONTINUING TRIAL DATE
13	SIMON SIYUM REZENE,
14	Defendant.
15	ORDER
16	The Court having reviewed the records and files herein and considered the
17	stipulation of the parties, enters the following order:
18	1. The parties are in need of additional time to investigate and prepare this
19	matter for trial. The additional time is reasonable and would allow the parties the
20 21	opportunity to explore alternatives to a trial. Because government counsel has been
22	unavailable due to his workload on other matters, the government needs additional time to
23	investigate and prepare responses to motions and trial.
24	2. The ends of justice outweigh the best interest of the public and the
<u> -</u>	defendant in a speedy trial. That failure to grant a continuance based upon the change of

3. The parties have requested and stipulated to a continuance.

circumstances would result in a miscarriage of justice in that the government and defense

counsel would not have adequate time to prepare the matter for trial and in order to

preserve continuity of counsel;

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the trial date is continued from May 23, 2005 to 1 June 27, 2005. 2 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, 3 Section 3161(h), the period of time from the date of this order to the new trial date is 4 excluded in the computation of time under the Speedy Trial Act. 5 DONE this 20th day of May, 2005. 6 7 8 MMS Casnik 9 United States District Judge 10 Presented by: 11 12 s/ Bruce F. Miyake BRUCE F. MIYAKE 13 Assistant United States Attorney 14 15 s/ Catherine Chaney (Per telephonic approval) 16 **CATHERINE CHANEY** Attorney for Simon Siyum Rezene 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28